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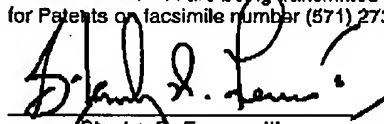
## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Gopalakrishnan et al.  
Examiner : 10/698,101 Tran, Vincent H.  
Art Unit : October 30, 2003 2115  
For : RESOURCE CONFIGURATION IN MULTI-MODAL  
DISTRIBUTED COMPUTING SYSTEMS

November 28, 2006

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

I hereby certify that this correspondence and any documents referred to as enclosed therewith are being transmitted by facsimile to the Commissioner for Patents on facsimile number (571) 273-8300 on November 28, 2006.

  
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Reg. No. 33,879November 28, 2006  
Date of Signature

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby petitions for an extension of time for a total period of two (2) months through and including November 28, 2006 to respond to the Office Action mailed on June 28, 2006. If an additional extension of time is required to insure that this paper is timely filed, please consider this a petition therefor.

The Response for which this extension is requested is filed herewith.

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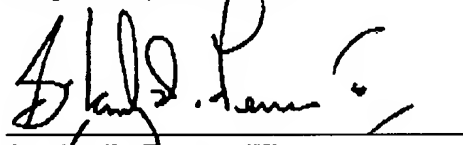
Applicant is other than a small entity and the extension fee required under 37

C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d) is calculated below:

	large entity	small entity
( ) one month	\$120	\$60
(X) two months	\$450	\$225
( ) three months	\$1,020	\$510
( ) four months	\$1,590	\$795
( ) five months	\$2,160	\$1,080

Attached hereto is a completed Credit Card Payment Form. Please charge the credit card identified thereon in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the extension of time fee for two (2) months. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to the credit card identified in the attached Credit Card Payment Form.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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